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Applicant(s): Orhun K. MURATOGLU et al.

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Title: METHODS FOR MAKING OXIDATION RESISTANT POLYMERIC MATERIAL

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 9, 2005, applicants hereby elect with traverse the claims of Group I, namely claims 1-77.

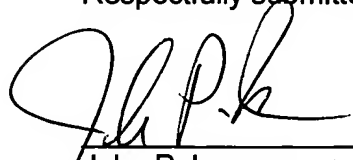
Applicants believe that no extension of time is required, but expressly request an extension, and provide an authorization to charge our firm deposit account, should an extension be needed. Please debit any underpayments, or credit any overpayments, to firm deposit account no. 08-1641.

A first office action on the merits is awaited.

Respectfully submitted,

3-28-05

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